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APPLICANTS:

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Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, under Rule 136(a), to extend the time for response to the Final Office Action dated July 25, 2007 for three months, from OCTOBER 25, 2007 to JANUARY 25, 2008. Submitted herewith, under Rule 17(a)(3), is a check in the amount of \$525.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a Small Entity.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or to credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 03-2468.

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